

We claim:

1. An antistatic protector to be mounted to a conductive connector for joining a resin tube and a pipe in automotive piping to earth the resin tube via the conductive connector, comprising;
- 5 a mounting portion to be mounted to an outer periphery of the conductive connector,
- a connecting portion to be connected to an earth member provided on a car body,
- 10 an elongate or relatively elongate connective portion to joint the mounting portion and the connecting portion, and
- the mounting portion, the connecting portion and the connective portion being formed from conductive elastic material so as to have flexibility respectively.
- 15 2. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 1 wherein the mounting portion, the connecting portion and the connective portion are formed as a unit.
3. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 1 wherein the mounting portion is formed as an annular member so as to be fitted
- 20 on and mounted to the outer periphery of the connector.
4. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 1 wherein the mounting portion is constructed by a pair of halved portions which are joined each other to form the annular member,
- the annular member is configured so as to be mounted to the
- 25 outer periphery of the conductive connector with the conductive connector therebetween.
5. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 1 wherein the mounting portion is formed in a cap configuration so as to be capped on and mounted to the outer periphery of the conductive connector.
- 30 6. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 3 wherein the mounting portion is mounted to the outer periphery of the connector

rotatably.

7. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 4 wherein the mounting portion is mounted to the outer periphery of the connector rotatably.

5 8. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 1 wherein the connecting portion is provided integrally with one or more finger grips projecting outwardly.

10 9. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 8 wherein the finger grips are formed on opposite sides of the connecting portion respectively.

15 10. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 3 wherein the conductive connector is formed with a pair of positioning surfaces expanding radially outwardly on an outer periphery in axially spaced and opposed relation, and the mounting portion is to be mounted between a pair of the positioning surfaces to be positioned axially.

20 11. The antistatic protector as set forth in claim 4 wherein the conductive connector is formed with a pair of positioning surfaces expanding radially outwardly on an outer periphery in axially spaced and opposed relation, and the mounting portion is to be mounted between a pair of the positioning surfaces to be positioned axially.